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SUBJECT:MESSAGE FOR SECRETARY FROM CERTAIN US-OWNED AIR-
LINES OPERATING IN CAMBODIA

1. DEPARTMENT HAS RECEIVED FOLLOWING CABLE ADDRESSED TO
THE SECRETARY FROM SINGAPORE ON BEHALF VARIOUS APPARENTLY
US-OWNED AIRLINES OPERATING IN CAMBODIA. WOULD APPRECIATE
YOUR COMMENTS FOR POSSIBLE REPLY.

2. BEGIN TEXT. TRUST YOU UNDERSTAND THAT INCREASINGLY
FREQUENT COMMANDEERING OF CIVIL AIRCRAFT BY KHMER GOVERN-
MENT FOR GRATIS TRANSPORT OF TROOPS AND RICE IS RAPIDLY
BREAKING THE DOMESTIC AIRLINES WHICH PROVIDE BULK OF CARGO
AND PASSENGER TRANSPORT AVAILABLE WITHIN THE REPUBLIC.
IF SITUATION UNCHANGEABLE OUR COMPANIES MUST SHUT DOWN ALL
KHMER AIR OPERATIONS BY FIRST FEBRUARY. OTHER OPERATORS
CONFRONT SIMILAR IMPOSSIBLE ECONOMIC DEMANDS AND ACT LIKE-
WISE. TRI-9 HAS OPERATED AIRCRAFT IN REPUBLIC OVER THREE

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YEARS ENDURING ALL STANDARD INDIGNITIES INCLUDING LOSS OF

AIRCRAFT TO ENEMY FIRE BUT BURDENS NO LONGER POSSIBLE.
PLEASE ADVISE. IF YOU DESIRE ALTERNATIVE, JAMES ZEIGLER,
EXEC VICE PRESIDENT TRI-9 CORPORATIONS AND GOLDEN EAGLE
AIRLINES, 220A JALAN KAYU SINGAPORE 28, TEL 803332 CABLE
TRIPLININE. END TEXT. KISSINGER

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